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In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56, Applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached forms PTO-1449. These references are of record in parent application No. 09/937,978 filed January 9, 2002, now U.S. Patent 6,620,235 issued September 16, 2003 and copies are available therein.

The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO 1449 forms.

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	2,844,485	7/58	Struve	106	288	
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	3,074,950	1/63	Deuschel et al	260	279	
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	5,922,122	7/99	Takeda et al	106	493	
	6,063,182	5/00	Bäbler	106	506	
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	6,468,341	10/02	Wada et al	106	413	
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	0654506	5/95	Europe			NO
	2084891	12/71	France			
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